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**(37 C.F.R. 1.321(c))**

Commissioner for Patents  
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Sir:

**INTEREST AND TITLE OF PERSON MAKING THIS  
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I, Michael J. Badagliacca, represent that I am the attorney of record for this application and am authorized to sign on behalf of the Assignee.

**IDENTITY OF ASSIGNEE**

The Assignee is Samsung Electronic Co., Ltd. a corporation organized and existing under the laws of Republic of Korea, and having its office and principal place of business at Suwon-si, Republic of Korea.

Pursuant to Rule 3.73(b), the Assignee is the current owner of 100% interest in the instant above-identified application no. 10/582,160 pursuant to the Assignment identified below.

**RECORD OF ASSIGNMENT IN USPTO**

The assignment of the instant above-identified application was recorded on July 12, 2007 at Reel 019591, Frame 0072.

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**COMMON OWNERSHIP OF U.S. APPLICATION NOS. 10/582,130 AND 10/582,136**

Pursuant to Rule 3.73(b), the Assignee is the current owner of 100% interest in the instant above-identified application pursuant to the Assignment identified above. Assignee further confirms that Assignee remains the owner of 100% interest in U.S. Application Nos. 10/582,130 and 10/582,136, pursuant to the assignments recorded on March 30, 2007 at Reel 019190, Frame 0822 and on April 12, 2007 at reel 019394, frame 0397.

**CERTIFICATION OF TITLE**

The evidentiary documents have been reviewed and the undersigned certifies that, to the best of said Assignee knowledge and belief, titles of the above-identified application and U.S. Application Nos. 10/582,130 and 10/582,136 are in said Assignee.

**TERMINAL DISCLAIMER**

Assignee hereby disclaims the terminal part of any patent granted on the instant above-identified application which would extend beyond the expiration date of any patent granted on U.S. Application Nos. 10/582,130 and 10/582,136, and hereby agrees that any patent so granted on the instant above-identified application shall be enforceable only for and during such period that the instant above-identified application and US Application Nos. 10/582,130 and 10/582,136 are commonly owned, the agreement to run with any patent granted on the above-identified application and to be binding upon the grantee, its successors or assigns.

Assignee does not disclaim any terminal part of any patent granted on the instant above-identified application prior to the expiration date of the full statutory term as defined in 35 USC 154 to 156 and 173 of any patent granted on the U.S. Application Nos. 10/582,130 and 10/582,136, in the event that it later expires for failure to pay a maintenance fee, is held unenforceable, is found invalid, is statutorily disclaimed in whole or terminally disclaimed under 37 C.F.R §1.321(a), has all claims canceled by a re-examination certificate, is reissued, or is otherwise terminated prior to the expiration of its statutory term, except for the separation of legal title stated above.

The undersigned hereby declares that all statements made herein of my own knowledge are true and that all statements made on information and belief are believed to be true; and further that these statements were made with the knowledge that willful false statements and the like so made are punishable by fine or imprisonment, or both, under Section 1001 of Title 18 of the United States Code and that such willful false statements may jeopardize the validity of the application or any patent issued thereon.

**FEE**

The requisite disclaimer fee under 37 C.F.R. §1.20(d) of \$140.00 is attached hereto. If there are any additional fees associated with this filing, please charge the same to our Deposit Account No. 19-3935.

Respectfully submitted,  
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